

House Resolution No. 107

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives always welcome the opportunity to acknowledge special events experienced by Show-Me State residents who have been blessed by exceptionally long and productive lives; and

Whereas, born on January 1, 1915, into the family of Ray and Elma Nicholas Boyer, Gilbert Boyer grew up southeast of Burlington Junction, Missouri, and has lived his entire life in the Northwest Missouri area; and

Whereas, the marital union of Gilbert Boyer and Mary Alice Helzer Evans (deceased) was blessed with wonderful children, Carolyn Wells, Patricia Brost and Tom, son-in-law Larry McKain, Michael Evans and Marcia, Ken Evans and Barb, Mark Boyer and Jeaneen, and Barbie Cowan; twelve grandchildren; eight great-grandchildren; and two great-great-grandchildren; and

Whereas, a vibrant part of the twenty-first century, Gilbert Boyer enjoys a life which encompassed most of the twentieth century with its first flights by heavier-than-air craft, worldwide turmoil associated with World War I and World War II, rise of the automobile as America's preferred mode of travel, demise of the Soviet Union as the Cold War drew to a close, and shift from a primarily agricultural economy to one dependent upon industry and then upon the service and information sectors; and

Whereas, it is fitting and proper that the Missouri House of Representatives pauses to commemorate momentous events in the lives of such stellar citizens as Gilbert Boyer:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-third General Assembly, join unanimously to applaud the Ninetieth Birthday of Gilbert Boyer and to convey to him this legislative body's heartiest congratulations upon attaining such a rare milestone in his life and convey our best wishes for many more celebratory events in the future; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution in honor of Gilbert Boyer of Barnard, Missouri.

Offered by _____
Representative Brad Lager
District No. 4

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives,
Ninety-third General Assembly, First Regular Session, do
certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House
Resolution No. 107, adopted January 13, 2005.

Rod Jetton, Speaker